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## Mothers' Pensions in Ohio.

Ohio people are a unit as regards the popularity of mothers' pensions. Its beneficiaries and the thousands of workmen in Ohio's numerous factories, through the instrumentality of this law, now know a peace of mind concerning the future of their families they have never known before.

As administered in Ohio the allowance of a mother's pension is not charity. It is on a par with the free school system, supported by taxation for the good of the individual and the state. Ohio has come to look upon her children as her greatest asset and has thriven on the theory that children, properly reared, make men and women worth while. Ohio has possessed institutions of the better character, good houses well managed and well systematized. But Ohio learned that no institution and no hired person could take the place of mother and home. Three years has so demonstrated the truth of the idea that now Ohio has appropriated \$100,000 for the erection of a hospital for crippled and deformed children.

The mothers' pension is administered by the juvenile courts. Any mother who is a widow, or whose husband is absent or unheard from, or whose husband has fallen afool of the law, who is in need and who has children under the school age, is eligible to receive a pension for a six months' period, renewable as long as may be necessary. The scale is \$15 for the first child and half that amount for the second and additional children. Under the eye of competent court officials this has been found satisfactory, but it

is likely that a scientific basis will be worked out by which the mother will receive the difference between what is necessary to maintain her home and what she is able to earn.

Social service investigators and officials of organized charity, who are best able to pass upon the working of mothers' pensions, say that the system has aided them wonderfully and relieved them of many burdens. There is a noticeable falling off in the rate increase of youthful criminals, and homes are kept intact. With the extension of the work of juvenile research and orphan placing it is believed that many of the problems of a growing state will be solved. The public institutions are becoming a burden to keep up and manage and the home idea is winning.

The mother of mothers' pensions in Ohio is Mrs. Eliza R. Cox. Mrs. Cox, now deceased, is the mother of James M. Cox, Ohio's present governor.

With almost three years' experience, mothers' pensions have demonstrated that the system must be expanded and enlarged. There is nowhere heard a demand that the pension system be abolished. In Ohio it is making good.—In Woman's World for November.

## Dr. Holmes Once Said

"It is better to be young at 60 than old at 35." A good way to be young at 60 is to receive an Endowment taken at 35. Other ages just the same. It is a question of doing it now. National Life Ins. Co. of Vt. (Mutual) S. S. Ballard, general agent, Rialto block, Montpelier, Vt.

## TALK OF THE TOWN

Richelleu undersuits at Fitts'. Corsets, front or back lace, \$1 to \$6.50. Mrs. Shepard Co., Inc.

Only one more day to pay water rentals before additional costs are added. F. O. Lee, superintendent.

Keep in mind the date for your corset fitting, Oct. 30, 31. Mrs. A. M. Kline, corsetiere, Mrs. Shepard Co., Inc.

Music furnished for all occasions by Montpelier M. band orchestra. Karl Forsell, manager, phone Montpelier 252-4V.

Football, Inter-city park, Saturday, Nov. 3. Montpelier seminary vs. West Rutland. Game called at 3 o'clock sharp. Admission, 25c.

General opening of the night classes for the study of the Italian and English languages on Nov. 1. For information see Dr. Plainfield at the Italian church from 9 to 12 week days.

Mrs. Charles Scott of Ayers street and Mrs. William Holden of South Main street returned this morning from Boston, where they have been visiting during the past week with friends and relatives.

Miss Lila Higgs of Prospect avenue returned last evening from Westbury, N. Y., where she has been visiting with relatives during the past few days. Miss Higgs resumed her duties in the L. S. Gates granite office in the Howland block this morning.

Recovery of property lost on the main highway is seldom brought about so expeditiously as in the case of Russell Eastman, who was minus an inner tube, a new suit of clothes and other wearing apparel upon his arrival in White River Junction recently after a motorcycle trip from Barre. The inner tube and his personal effects were left behind when a box which he had bound to the rear of the saddle on his cycle, gave way. The rider advertised quite extensively and a few days ago he received a package from a Lowell, Mass., motorist, who had found the address of the owner in one of the pockets of the coat. The Lowell man was hurrying home from a motor trip through Vermont when he discerned the clothing in the road. Upon his arrival home he examined the clothing and addressed it to Barre as soon as he discovered Mr. Eastman's name.

A leaky cable at North Barre disrupted Barre-Montpelier service on the lines of the New England Telephone Co. yesterday afternoon and caused no end of annoyance to upward of 75 subscribers, among them Jones Bros., to whose office the calls for the 75 affected stations were diverted. Nearly 100 lines were assembled in the cable and the action of the water, once it found its way through the cable insulation, promptly accounted for the paralysis of service on several trunk lines between this city and the capital. Wire Chief George H. Colamer was aware of the trouble soon after it developed, and though the line-men summoned to the task of repairing the break were handicapped by the heavy rain the work went forward throughout the afternoon and evening. Charles Gibbons the cable expert, was working in Newport, but he was called back to Barre last night to make the repairs permanent. Service on most of the lines was unimpaired to-day.

Shortly after 2 o'clock Tuesday afternoon the fire station received a telephone call for assistance at 14 Clark street, where the family of Giovanni Magni occupies a house owned by Judge H. W. Scott. A crew of regulars and the chief responded in the auto truck and found a threatening blaze under way in the kitchen. Chemicals were used in making quick work of the fire, although the house was filled with smoke and the attack was directed with some difficulty. Mrs. Magni, who said that the family's loss of personal effects was covered by insurance, explained that she built a hot fire in the range and that in her absence upstairs, some clothing on a rack near by became ignited. Her efforts to extinguish the blaze having failed, she sent for the firemen. Wall paper was burned near the stove and some of the kitchen woodwork was scorched, but the blaze was headed before it could go further. The loss of clothing and slight damage to the house will not exceed \$50.

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## The Cry of Our Country is Economy

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## Bargain Basement

All lots are small. Won't last very long. One lot of Ladies' and Misses' Knit Underwear. Just a few sizes that are worth to-day 50c to 60c. These at 35c each.

One lot of Ladies' Vests and Pants. These in sizes 34, 36 and 38. Bleached Knit Underwear, worth to-day 75c. Heavy-weight fine goods. Now in Bargain Basement at 59c each. This is less than the wholesale cost of these goods to-day.

One lot of 16 and 18 Gray-Fleeced Underwear for very small children. These are worth 50c. These small sizes at 29c each.

One lot of White, Blue and Pink Germantown Yarn at 15c per skein.

Small sizes in Children's Black Drawer Leggings at 39c each.

Laides' Gingham and Black Petticoats at 79c each.

Muslin Underwear in White Skirts, Night Robes, Drawers, Corset Covers and Combinations. No more at these prices.

One lot of 33-inch Pongees for Comforter Covers. These at only 19c per yard. These would make nice Kimonos.

Bontex Soap at 5c per cake.

Fancy Ribbons, 35c and 39c values, at 25c per yard.

One lot of Fancy Ribbons at 19c yd. Plain Ribbons at 10c.

Talcum Powder at 10c in Basement.

Gents' \$1.25 Fruit of the Loom Night Shirts at \$1.00.

Yard-wide Percales in both Light and Dark Grounds at 15c per yard. No more at this price.

One lot of Gingham at 15c per yard. Last of these.

## Blankets

Cotton Blankets are very scarce. Wool Blankets are costing more at wholesale to-day than the retail price. We have a limited quantity of these Blankets. When we have sold what we have, we won't try to make a second purchase this season.

A \$5.00 Blanket now will look very nearly as good to you as those that you bought last season. These prices you have your



merchant to thank for. Manufacturers are surely getting their profits on future deliveries. We suggest that your first fall purchases be on these goods. That is, if you will have to have them later.

**WOOL DRESS GOODS**—Don't get the idea that we are selling Wool Dress Goods on the present cost of Wool, for we are not. You can buy your All-Wool Dress Goods, all sponged and shrunk, 44 inches wide, in all colors, at only \$1.25 per yard. This makes a nice Dress and one of the very best for wear.

Munsing Underwear and Black Cat Hosiery will be some of your very best purchases. These kinds are below the market for price and above the market for value. Real hard wear.

## The Daylight Store

## TALK OF THE TOWN

New serge and silk dresses at Fitts'.

Music furnished for all occasions by Montpelier M. band orchestra. Karl Forsell, manager, phone Montpelier 252-W.

Don't forget the masquerade dance to-night at South Barre grange hall, 50c per couple. Visiting ladies, unmasked, 10c. Masks off at 10 o'clock. Come, everybody, and have a ripping time.—adv.

If you are looking for bargains, call at Miss L. E. Townsend's, 33 Washington street, Nov. 1, 2 and 3. Trimmed hats for \$1.98, \$2.98 and \$3.98. Children's hats, 25c up. Liberal discount on entire stock.

At the home of Mrs. Arthur Lund of Sheridan street last evening, a surprise was tendered to Mrs. William Avery, soon to leave Barre to make her home in St. Albans. Guests of honor, invited to Mrs. Lund's home for supper, were visiting in the parlor when the door opened and a party of friends, led by Charlie Chaplin and wife, entered the room. There a second surprise awaited Mrs. Avery, as among the guests was her daughter, Mrs. Frank Place of St. Albans, who came to attend. The rooms were beautifully decorated in blue and gold. Games were played, including a guessing contest, which afforded much fun.

The following program was rendered: Piano solo, Mrs. Ida Russell; vocal solo, Miss Lillian Papin; piano solo, Mrs. Glenn Perry; piano solo, Mrs. William Richardson; reading, Mrs. C. C. Perkins. Mrs. Arthur L. Pierce, on behalf of Harmon review, No. 1, Ladies of the Maccabees, presented Mrs. Avery a set of silver teaspoons. Mrs. Pierce spoke of the great help Mrs. Avery had always been to the order, joining as a charter member 13 years ago. Mrs. Avery spoke her thanks. The singing of "Auld Lang Syne" brought the party to a close, all wishing Mrs. Avery good luck in her new home.

## TALK OF THE TOWN

More bargains in Fitts' annex.

White elephant sale a feature of Congregational fair.—adv.

Regular meeting of the A. O. H. Thursday evening at 7 o'clock; 45 game after the meeting.

If you wish for a smart gown or frock, visit the gown department of the Mrs. Shepard Co., Inc., store.

John Mercer, who has been passing a few days with his family in Barre, has returned to Springfield, Mass., where he is employed.

A sewing meeting will be held at the hospital Thursday afternoon at 2 o'clock. There is considerable sewing to be done and it is quite urgent that as many as can come and help out.

A letter has been received from Rev. J. W. Barnett, by troop 2, B. S. A., telling of his safe arrival in England, after an interesting voyage. His address is 47 Russell square, London, W. C., England, care of V. M. C. A.

The auction sale at Arthur Soupe's yesterday on Cobb hill, between Waterbury and Montpelier, was adjourned on account of the bad, rainy day, to Thursday, Nov. 8, at 1 o'clock in the afternoon. C. F. Smith, auctioneer.

Among the guests arriving at Hotel Barre last night and this morning were the following people: Miss M. Alice Fleming of Boston, A. T. Rogers of Newport, J. O. Lajoie of Hardwick, Miss Charlotte E. Pierpont of Burlington, P. L. Cheney of Rutland, Charles H. Phillips of New York, F. H. Wright of Orleans, F. J. Henderson of Portland, Me., Mr. and Mrs. E. G. Clewly of Burlington, Frank E. Taylor of Burlington, P. W. Partridge of Gloucester, Mass., F. J. Whalen of Burlington, Oscar C. Lundgren of Boston, M. E. Elliott and K. R. Stratford of Rutland, B. Lutzky of Baltimore, Md., W. A. Dutchee of St. Louis, Mo., D. A. Beloff of Syracuse, N. Y.

## TALK OF THE TOWN

More bargains in Fitts' annex.

Arthur Raymond of St. Johnsbury is visiting for a few days with friends in town.

William Dalton of West street left yesterday for Hartford, Conn., where he expects to secure employment.

Miss Adele Bianchi of Summer street has returned from Buffalo, N. Y., where she has been employed during the past three months in the office of the Bianchi & Son granite concern.

Excavations for the paving on South Main street will be completed to-night and with the roadway ready for the pavers, Contractor J. C. DeBrune will have finished his part of the contract.

Miss Selma Bianchi of Summer street has returned from Boston, where she has been spending the past few weeks visiting with relatives. During her absence, Miss Bianchi also visited with friends in Hartford, Conn.

Miss Emma Whitney of Elm street received word yesterday from her soldier brothers, Ora and Aura Whitney. The letter was mailed at Borden Hands, England, and stated that the journey across the Atlantic had been safely made, fair weather being encountered a large part of way and that all the boys were in the best of health, being none the worse for their experience in the trip across the Atlantic.

A practical demonstration of food conservation, with an accompanying address on some of the elements which must enter into a general campaign for husbanding the food resources of the nation in time of stress was conducted by Miss Charlotte E. Pierpont of the college extension service, University of Vermont, before the Barre Woman's club Tuesday afternoon. The affair took place in Pythian hall under the auspices of the home economics department, and 70 women watched and listened interestedly while Miss Pierpont touched on the practical aspects of conservation in the home. The hall was attractively decorated with Japanese effects. Miss Pierpont's demonstration was concerned more immediately with the use of cottage cheese as a substitute for meat and her methods of handling cheese and her use of recipes readily bore out the contention that it may serve in the absence of meat. Cottage cheese and its use in the preparation of salads formed another interesting part of the demonstration, at the close of which Miss Pierpont spoke on the general aspects of the food conservation movement in America.

## TALK OF THE TOWN

New neckwear at Fitts'.

Carl Waterman of Washington street returned yesterday from Boston, where he has been spending the past few days on business.

Miss Elizabeth Ottolini of Blackwell street has completed her duties in the B. W. Goodfellow & Son store after having been employed there during the past two years.

Miss Lillian Roberts of the Blanchard block returned last evening from Denver, Col., where she has been visiting with relatives during the past six weeks on a vacation from her duties in the Central Vermont station.

Card of Thanks.  
To all members of South Barre grange and all other friends who participated in the reception to Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Webster we tender our sincere thanks.  
Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Webster.

Card of Thanks.  
We wish to thank the friends and neighbors who assisted us at the time of the death of our son. For the flowers given and sympathy shown we are very grateful, also to those who showed him so much kindness at the Fanny Allen hospital.  
Mr. and Mrs. G. Piccolini.

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The new Oldsmobile All-season Cars—Sedan and Coupe—combine many points of superiority in style and equipment. The bodies are designed and built especially for Oldsmobile and will not be found in any other car. Tops are built in and made part of the bodies—complete and permanent. They are instantly converted into open summer cars or closed winter cars by lowering or raising the plate windows.

New convenience is offered in the staggered position of the wide doors. The right or curb door opens to rear compartment. The left door is well forward opening directly to driver's seat. The upholstery is of high quality material of pleasing appearance. The seats are Sedan, \$1695. Coupe, \$1795. F.O.B. Factory, Lansing, Michigan

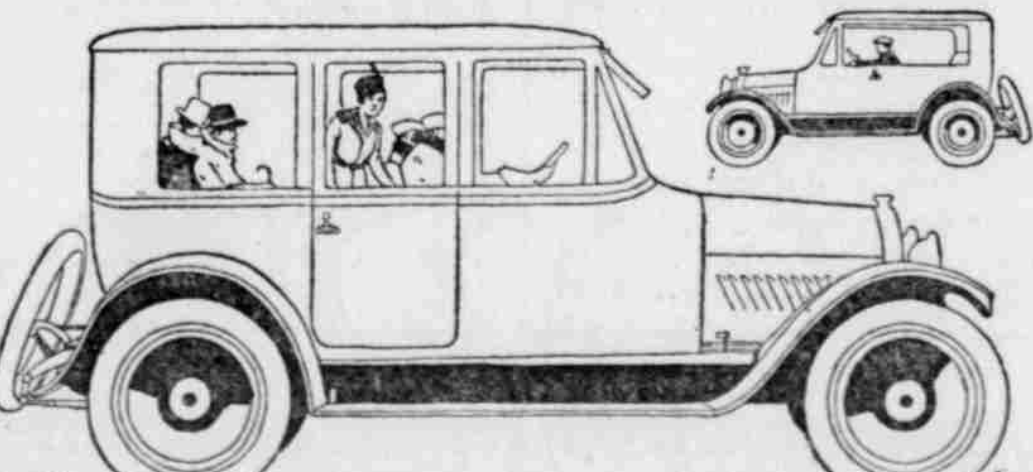
broad and restful—supported by Marshall Cushion Comfort springs. Front seats are of the individual chair type.

In the sedan, the driver's seat is adjustable forward and back for either long or short reach. The deep lounge-back rear seat has ample room for three. Each model is equipped with automatic car heater and foot warmer, electric dome and dash lights and other accessories for comfort and beauty.

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Bulk Cocoa, per lb. .... 19c  
Fresh Roasted Coffee, per lb. .... 19c  
Krisp Korn Flakes ..... 4 boxes for 25c  
16 Oranges for ..... 25c  
FRESH CRISP CELERY, 2 large bunches for.. 25c

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Hamburg Steak, lb... 23c  
Pure Kettle-Rendered Lard.....  
Pressed Corned Beef.. 28c  
Pressed Ham, lb. .... 30c  
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Fameuse Eating Apples, per peck ..... 35c

Choice Peas, per can ..... 15c  
Golden West Peaches, per can ..... 18c  
St. Lawrence Brand Sweet Wrinkled Peas.. 2 for 25c  
Early June Peas, No. 1 cans, each ..... 10c  
Angelus Cranberry Beans, per can ..... 15c  
Angelus Red Kidney Beans, per can ..... 15c  
Red Raspberries, a very low price, per can ..... 15c  
Boone Red Beans ..... 2 cans for 25c  
Clark's Japan Plums, per can ..... 20c  
Pineapple, all sizes ..... 10c, 15c and 25c

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